

# Heavy Meson Spectrum Tests of the Oktay-Kronfeld Action

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# Motivation

- In heavy flavor physics, the CKM matrix element  $V_{cb}$  is an interesting quantity.
- The dominant error in theoretical determination of  $\epsilon_K$  comes from  $V_{cb}$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 33.7\% \leftarrow V_{cb} \\ 19.7\% \leftarrow \hat{B}_K \end{array} \right.$$

- $3.4\sigma$  tension can be observed using most up to date input parameters.

$$|\epsilon_K|^{\text{exp}} = 2.228(11) \times 10^{-3} \quad (\text{PDG})$$

$$|\epsilon_K|^{\text{SM}} = 1.570(195) \times 10^{-3} \quad (\text{SWME } \hat{B}_K, \text{ FNAL/MILC } V_{cb})$$

- More precise determination of  $V_{cb}$  might lead to larger tension.
- Because the dominant error for  $V_{cb}$  is heavy quark discretization error, we plan to use the OK action for the form factor calculation of the semi-leptonic decays

$$B \rightarrow D^* l \nu_l, \quad B \rightarrow D l \nu_l.$$

- Here, we will verify the improvement in B meson spectrum.

# OK Action

$$S_{\text{OK}} = S_{\text{Fermilab}} + S_{\text{new}}$$

$$S_{\text{Fermilab}} = S_0 + S_B + S_E$$

$$\mathcal{O}(1) + \mathcal{O}(\lambda) : [\lambda \sim a\Lambda, \Lambda/m_Q]$$

$$S_0 = m_0 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \psi(x) + \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma_4 D_4 \psi(x) - \frac{1}{2} a \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \Delta_4 \psi(x)$$

$$+ \zeta \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \vec{\gamma} \cdot \vec{D} \psi(x) - \frac{1}{2} r_s \zeta a \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \Delta^{(3)} \psi(x)$$

$$S_B = -\frac{1}{2} \textcolor{red}{c_B} \zeta a \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) i \vec{\Sigma} \cdot \vec{B} \psi(x)$$

$$\mathcal{O}(\lambda^2) :$$

$$S_E = -\frac{1}{2} \textcolor{red}{c_E} \zeta a \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{E} \psi(x) \quad (\textcolor{red}{c_E} \neq c_B : \text{OK action})$$

[M. B. Oktay and A. S. Kronfeld, PRD **78**, 014504 (2008)]

[A. El-Khadra, A. S. Kronfeld and P. B. Mackenzie, PRD **55**, 3933 (1997)]

# OK Action

$\mathcal{O}(\lambda^3)$  :

$$\begin{aligned} S_{\text{new}} = & \textcolor{blue}{c_1} a^2 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \sum_i \gamma_i D_i \Delta_i \psi(x) \\ & + \textcolor{blue}{c_2} a^2 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \{\vec{\gamma} \cdot \vec{D}, \Delta^{(3)}\} \psi(x) \\ & + \textcolor{blue}{c_3} a^2 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \{\vec{\gamma} \cdot \vec{D}, i \vec{\Sigma} \cdot \vec{B}\} \psi(x) \\ & + \textcolor{blue}{c_{EE}} a^2 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \{\gamma_4 D_4, \vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{E}\} \psi(x) \\ & + \textcolor{blue}{c_4} a^3 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \sum_i \Delta_i^2 \psi(x) \\ & + \textcolor{red}{c_5} a^3 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \sum_i \sum_{j \neq i} \{\mathrm{i} \Sigma_i B_i, \Delta_j\} \psi(x) \end{aligned}$$

# OK Action: Tadpole Improvement

$$\begin{aligned} & c_5 a^3 \bar{\psi}(x) \sum_i \sum_{j \neq i} \{i \Sigma_i B_{i \text{lat}}, \Delta_{j \text{lat}}\} \psi(x) \\ &= i \frac{2 \tilde{c}_5 \tilde{\kappa}_t}{4 u_0^2} \bar{\psi}_x \sum_i \Sigma_i T_i^{(3)} \psi_x - i \frac{32 \tilde{c}_5 \tilde{\kappa}}{2 u_0^3} \bar{\psi}_x \vec{\Sigma} \cdot \vec{B} \psi_x \\ &+ i \frac{2 \tilde{c}_5 \tilde{\kappa}_t}{u_0^4} \bar{\psi}_x \sum_i \left( -\frac{1}{4} \Sigma_i T_i^{(3)} + \sum_{j \neq i} \{ \Sigma_i B_i, (T_j + T_{-j}) \} \right) \psi_x \\ T_i^{(3)} &\equiv \sum_{j,k=1}^3 \epsilon_{ijk} \left( T_{-k} (T_j - T_{-j}) T_k - T_k (T_j - T_{-j}) T_{-k} \right) \end{aligned}$$

# Measurement

## Gauge Ensemble, Heavy Quark $\kappa$ , Meson Momentum

- MILC asqtad  $N_f = 2 + 1$

$a(\text{fm})$	$N_L^3 \times N_T$	$\beta$	$am'_I$	$am'_s$	$u_0$	$a^{-1}(\text{GeV})$	$N_{\text{conf}}$	$N_{t_{\text{src}}}$
0.12	$20^3 \times 64$	6.79	0.02	0.05	0.8688	$1.683^{+43}_{-16}$	484	6
0.15	$16^3 \times 48$	6.60	0.029	0.0484	0.8614	$1.350^{+35}_{-13}$	500	4

- Meson mass

$\tilde{\kappa}$	0.038	0.039	0.040	0.041
$aM(B_s)$	3.99	3.65	3.32	3.01
$aM(\eta_b)$	6.75	6.17	5.61	5.06

- 11 momenta  $|\mathbf{p}a| = 0, 0.099, \dots, 1.26$

# Measurement: Interpolating Operator

- Meson correlator

$$C(t, \mathbf{p}) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} e^{i\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{x}} \langle \mathcal{O}^\dagger(t, \mathbf{x}) \mathcal{O}(0, \mathbf{0}) \rangle$$

- Heavy-light meson interpolating operator

$$\mathcal{O}_{\textcolor{red}{t}}(x) = \bar{\psi}_\alpha(x) \Gamma_{\alpha\beta} \Omega_{\beta\textcolor{red}{t}}(x) \chi(x)$$

$$\Gamma = \begin{cases} \gamma_5 & (\text{Pseudo-scalar}) \\ \gamma_\mu & (\text{Vector}) \end{cases}, \quad \Omega(x) \equiv \gamma_1^{x_1} \gamma_2^{x_2} \gamma_3^{x_3} \gamma_4^{x_4}$$

- Quarkonium interpolating operator

$$\mathcal{O}(x) = \bar{\psi}_\alpha(x) \Gamma_{\alpha\beta} \psi_\beta(x)$$

[Wingate *et al.*, PRD **67**, 054505 (2003) , C. Bernard *et al.*, PRD **83**, 034503 (2011)]

# Measurement: Interpolating Operator

## Smearing

- For heavy quark, we also used a smeared sink using the Richardson 1S charmonium wave function  $S(x)$ .

$$\phi(t, \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{\mathbf{y}} S(\mathbf{y}) \psi(t, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}).$$

- For a smeared correlator, we applied the Coulomb gauge fixing.
- Analysis for smeared correlators is not done. So, we will present the results for the point source and point sink data.

[C. Bernard *et al.*, PRD 83, 034503 (2011)]

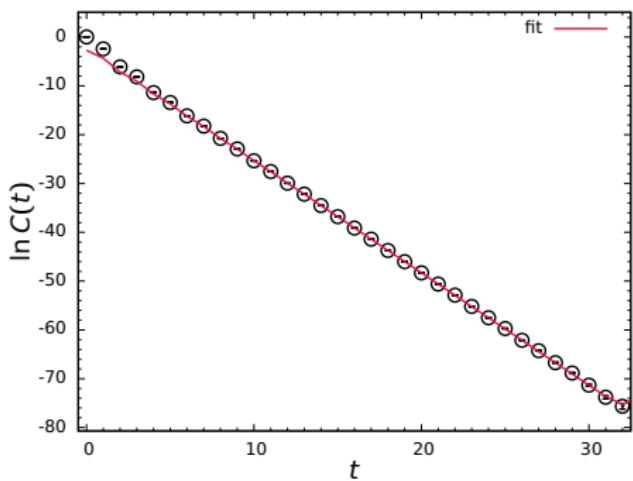
# Correlator Fit

- fit function

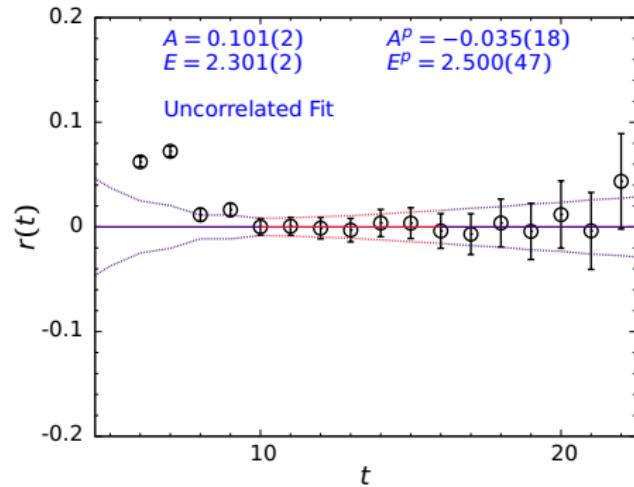
$$f(t) = A\{e^{-Et} + e^{-E(T-t)}\} + (-1)^t A^P\{e^{-EPt} + e^{-EP(T-t)}\}$$

- fit residual

$$r(t) = \frac{C(t) - f(t)}{|C(t)|}, \text{ where } C(t) \text{ is data.}$$



$[\bar{Q}q, \text{PS}, \kappa = 0.038, \mathbf{p} = 0]$



# Correlator Fit: Effective Mass

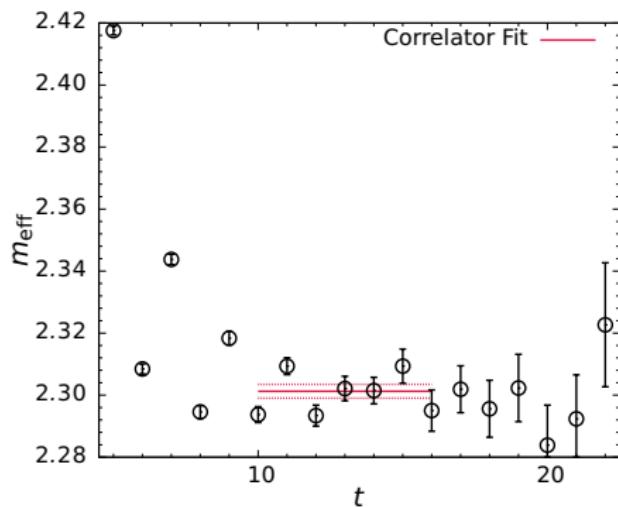
$$m_{\text{eff}}(t) = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left( \frac{C(t)}{C(t+2)} \right)$$

For small  $t$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} C(t) &\cong A(e^{-Et} + \beta e^{-(E+\Delta E)t}) \\ &= Ae^{-Et}(1 + \beta e^{-(\Delta E)t}), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} \beta > 0 & (\text{excited state}) \\ \beta \sim -(-1)^t & (\text{time parity state}) \end{cases}$$

$$m_{\text{eff}} \approx E + \beta(\Delta E)e^{-(\Delta E)t}$$

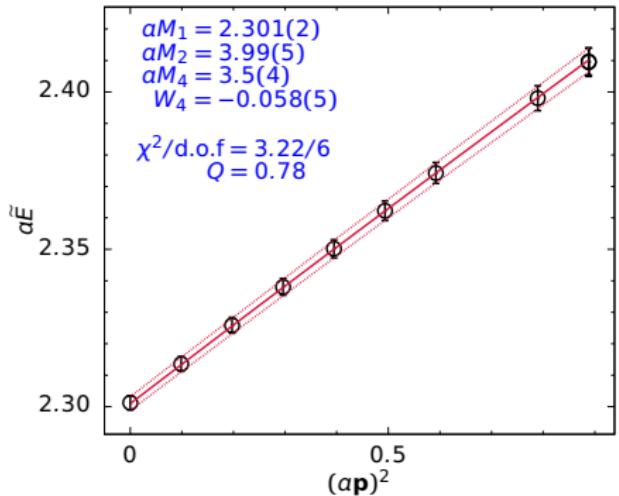


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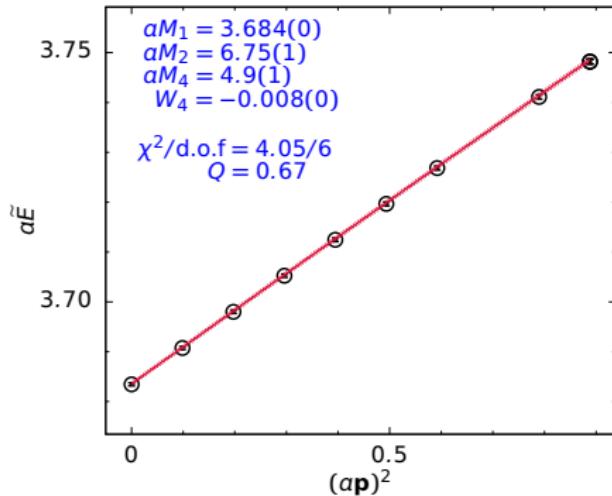
# Dispersion Relation

$$E = M_1 + \frac{\mathbf{p}^2}{2M_2} - \frac{(\mathbf{p}^2)^2}{8M_4^3} - \frac{a^3 W_4}{6} \sum_i p_i^4$$

$$\tilde{E} = E + \frac{a^3 W_4}{6} \sum_i p_i^4, \quad \mathbf{n} = (2, 2, 1), (3, 0, 0)$$



$[\overline{Q}q, \text{PS}, \kappa = 0.038]$



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# Improvement Test: Inconsistency Parameter

$$I \equiv \frac{2\delta M_{\bar{Q}q} - (\delta M_{\bar{Q}Q} + \delta M_{\bar{q}q})}{2M_{2\bar{Q}q}} = \frac{2\delta B_{\bar{Q}q} - (\delta B_{\bar{Q}Q} + \delta B_{\bar{q}q})}{2M_{2\bar{Q}q}}$$

$$M_{1\bar{Q}q} = m_{1\bar{Q}} + m_{1q} + B_{1\bar{Q}q} \quad \delta M_{\bar{Q}q} = M_{2\bar{Q}q} - M_{1\bar{Q}q}$$

$$M_{2\bar{Q}q} = m_{2\bar{Q}} + m_{2q} + B_{2\bar{Q}q} \quad \delta B_{\bar{Q}q} = B_{2\bar{Q}q} - B_{1\bar{Q}q}$$

[S. Collins *et al.*, NPB **47**, 455 (1996) , A. S. Kronfeld, NPB **53**, 401 (1997)]

- Inconsistency parameter  $I$  can be used to examine the improvements by  $\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p}^4)$  terms in the action. OK action is designed to improve these terms and matched at tree-level.
- Binding energies  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  are of order  $\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p}^2)$ . Because the kinetic meson mass  $M_2$  appears with a factor  $\mathbf{p}^2$ , the leading contribution of binding energy  $B_2$  generated by  $\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p}^4)$  terms in the action.

$$E = M_1 + \frac{\mathbf{p}^2}{2M_2} + \dots = M_1 + \frac{\mathbf{p}^2}{2(m_{2\bar{Q}} + m_{2q})} \left[ 1 - \frac{B_{2\bar{Q}q}}{(m_{2\bar{Q}} + m_{2q})} + \dots \right] + \dots$$

# Improvement Test: Inconsistency Parameter

$$I \cong \frac{2\delta M_{\bar{Q}q} - \delta M_{\bar{Q}Q}}{2M_{2\bar{Q}q}} \cong \frac{2\delta B_{\bar{Q}q} - \delta B_{\bar{Q}Q}}{2M_{2\bar{Q}q}}$$

- Considering non-relativistic limit of quark and anti-quark system, for S-wave case ( $\mu_2^{-1} = m_{2\bar{Q}}^{-1} + m_{2q}^{-1}$ ),

$$\delta B_{\bar{Q}q} = \frac{5}{3} \frac{\langle \mathbf{p}^2 \rangle}{2\mu_2} \left[ \mu_2 \left( \frac{m_{2\bar{Q}}^2}{m_{4\bar{Q}}^3} + \frac{m_{2q}^2}{m_{4q}^3} \right) - 1 \right] \quad (\textcolor{red}{m}_4 : c_1, c_3)$$

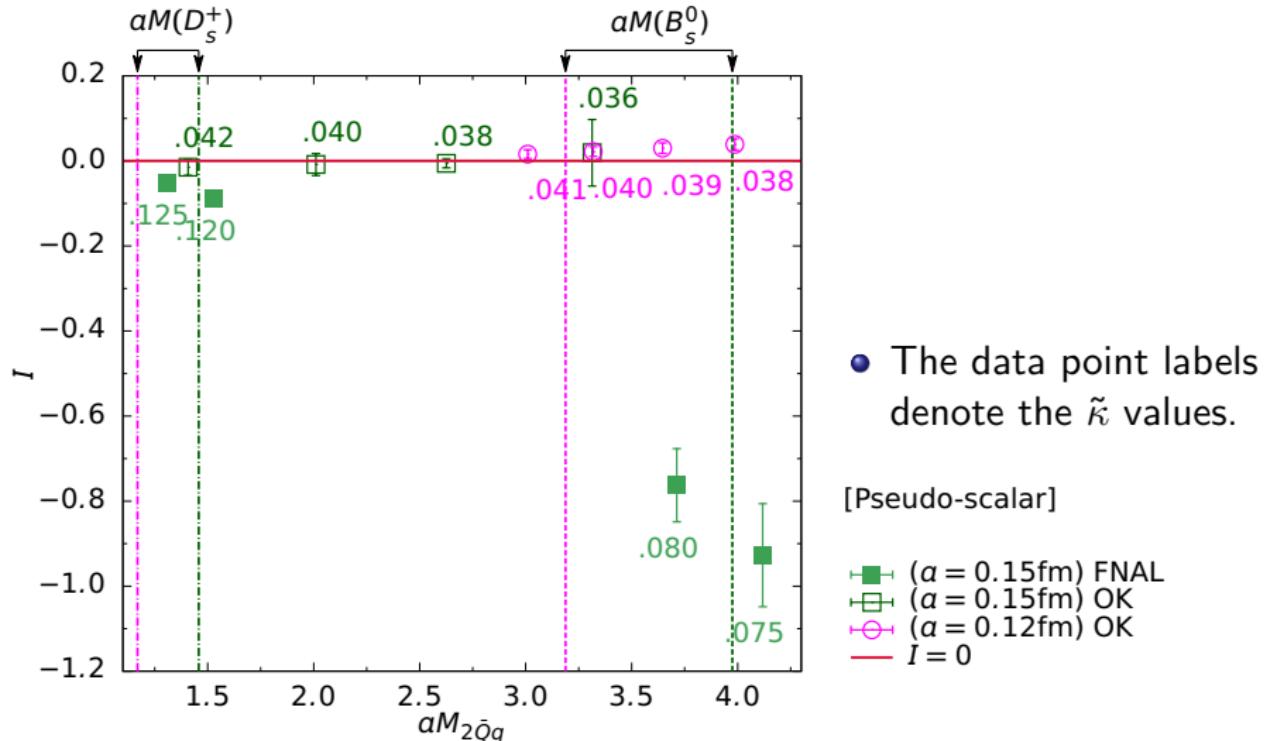
$$+ \frac{4}{3} a^3 \frac{\langle \mathbf{p}^2 \rangle}{2\mu_2} \mu_2 (\textcolor{blue}{w}_{4\bar{Q}} m_{2\bar{Q}}^2 + \textcolor{blue}{w}_{4q} m_{2q}^2) \quad (\textcolor{blue}{w}_4 : c_2, c_4)$$
$$+ \mathcal{O}(p^4)$$

[A. S. Kronfeld, NPB **53**, 401 (1997) , C. Bernard *et al.*, PRD **83**, 034503 (2011)]

- Leading contribution of  $\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p}^2)$  in  $\delta B$  vanishes when  $\textcolor{blue}{w}_4 = 0$ ,  $\textcolor{red}{m}_2 = \textcolor{red}{m}_4$ , not only for S-wave states but also for higher harmonics.
- This condition is satisfied exactly at tree-level, and we expect  $I$  is close to 0.

# Improvement Test: Inconsistency Parameter

- The coarse ( $a = 0.12\text{fm}$ ) ensemble data covers the  $B_s^0$  mass and shows significant improvement compared to the Fermilab action.



## Improvement Test: Hyperfine Splitting $\Delta$

$$\Delta_1 = M_1^* - M_1, \quad \Delta_2 = M_2^* - M_2$$

Recall,

$$\begin{aligned}M_{1\bar{Q}q}^{(*)} &= m_{1\bar{Q}} + m_{1q} + B_{1\bar{Q}q}^{(*)} \\M_{2\bar{Q}q}^{(*)} &= m_{2\bar{Q}} + m_{2q} + B_{2\bar{Q}q}^{(*)} \\\delta B^{(*)} &= B_2^{(*)} - B_1^{(*)}\end{aligned}$$

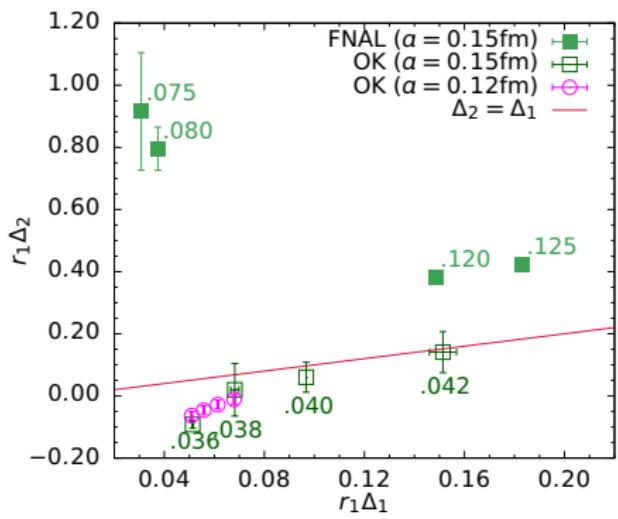
Then,

$$\Delta_2 = \Delta_1 + \delta B^* - \delta B$$

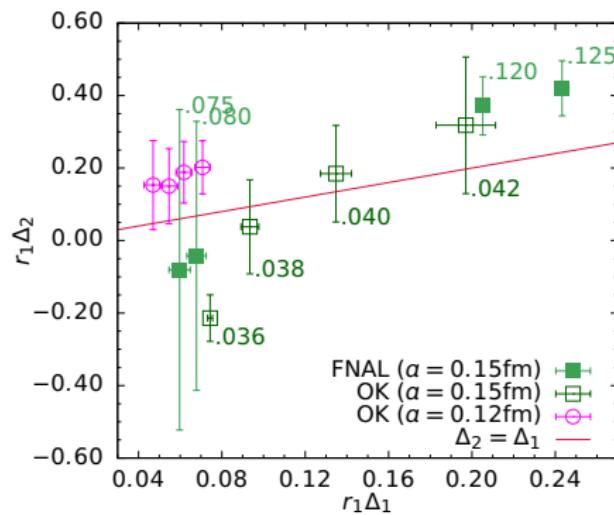
- The difference in hyperfine splittings  $\Delta_2 - \Delta_1$  also can be used to examine the improvement from  $\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p}^4)$  terms in the action.

# Improvement Test: Hyperfine Splitting $\Delta$

$$\Delta_2 = \Delta_1 + \delta B^* - \delta B$$



Quarkonium



Heavy-light

## Conclusion and Outlook

- Inconsistency parameter shows that the OK action clearly improves  $\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p}^4)$  terms.
- Hyperfine splitting shows that the OK action clearly improves the higher dimension magnetic effects for the quarkonium.
- For heavy-light system, errors of hyperfine splittings on 0.15fm data are too large to draw any conclusion.
- We plan to calculate  $V_{cb}$  with higher precision.
- Improved current relevant to the decay  $B \rightarrow D^* l \nu$  at zero recoil is needed. (Talk: Jon A. Bailey)
- We plan to calculate the 1-loop coefficients for  $c_B$  and  $c_E$  in the OK action.
- Highly optimized inverter using QUDA will be available soon. (Lattice 2013)

**Thank you for your attention.**